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- Copy of the International Application filed on 03/02/2005
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- Copy of IPE Report filed on 03/02/2005
- Copy of Annexes to the IPER filed on 03/02/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 03/02/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 03/02/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 03/02/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 03/02/2005
- Substitute Specification filed on 03/02/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 03/02/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity:

• \$65 Surcharge.

Additionally the following defects have been observed:

• Annexes have not been entered because the annexes is not a page for page substitution...

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